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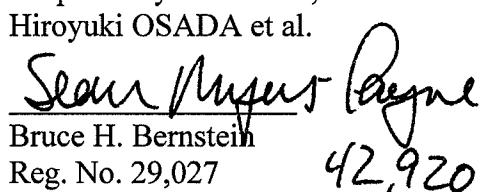
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Sir:

Please extend the time for response to the Official Action dated November 17, 2006 by three months from February 19, 2007 (February 17, 2007 falling on a Saturday) up to and including May 17, 2007. The amount of \$1,020.00 is submitted concurrently herewith as payment for the fee.

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Respectfully Submitted,
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